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FM AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 6320

INFO AMEMBASSY MANILA IMMEDIATE

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E. O. 16652: N/ A

TAGS: EAID , ID, RP

SUBJECT: CORN DIVERSION FROM INDONESIA TO PHILIPPINES

REFERENCE: A. STATE 061771 B. JAKARTA 3901 C. STATE 06086 8

1. EMBASSY REGRETS THAT A. I. D. HAS TAKEN NO FURTHER ACTION ON DIVERSION ( PAR 2, REF A) ON BASIS THAT INFORMATION RECEIVED BY INDONESIAN EMBASSY FROM BULOG ON MARCH 30 MADE UNNECESSARY THE INFORMATION REQUESTED BY EMBASSY ON APRIL 2 ( REF B).

2. GOI HAD ASSUMED THAT DIVERTED CORN WOULD NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR PROGRAM LOAN FINANCING AND INFORMED EMB/ WASH THAT " DIVERSION CANCELLED." HOWEVER, ON SECOND THOUGHT AND BECAUSE OF DESIRE TO ASSIST PHILIPPINES, IT REQUESTED EMBASSY TO CHECK IF CORN WOULD STILL BE ELIGIBLE.

3. RE PARA 3, REF A, INFORMATION PROVIDED BY AMERICAN TRADE SALES TO EMB/ WASH APPARENTLY IN ERROR. AS OF TODAY, EASTERN GALAXY (10.457 MT), OCEAN UNITY (14,000 MT) AND COPPER STATE (10,160 MT) ARE STILL IN POSITION TO BE DIVERTED ACCORDING TO INFORMATION GIVEN TO GOI BY SHIPS' JAKARTA AGENTS. HOWEVER, EASTERN GALAXY WILL PROBABLY NOT BE ABLE TO DIVERT BY TIME DECISION IS REACHED.

4. ALTHOUGH WE FEAR THE DELAY IN RESPONSE TO REF B WILL HAVE MADE  
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IT IMPRACTICAL TO DIVERT ANY SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF CORN TO ASSIST  
THE PHILIPPINES, WE WOULD STILL APPRECIATE AN URGENT REPLY IN HOPE  
THAT, IF CORN CAN BE FINANCED UNDER PROGRAM LOAN, AT LEAST ONE  
CARGO  
CAN BE DIVERTED.  
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